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SUBJECT: FSO WRITTEN EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 4, 1976 - DONALD
J. WASHBURN

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1. DONALD J. WASHBURN CONTACTED THE CONSULATE GENERAL TODAY, STATING HE WROTE THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR THE FOREIGN SERVICE, BOX 9317, ROSSLYN STATION, ON AUGUST 31, REQUESTING AN APPLICATION TO TAKE THE FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER EXAMINATION THIS DECEMBER, AND HAS NEVER RECEIVED A REPLY TO HIS LETTER.

2. IS IT POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN A WAIVER TO THE OCTOBER 24 APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR MR. WASHBURN, SO HE CAN TAKE THE EXAMINATION? IN HOPE OF A POSITIVE RULING, COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM HAS TODAY BEEN MAILED TO THE EDUCATION TESTING SERVICE IN BERKELY ALONG WITH A COPY OF THIS TELEGRAM.

3. AS INDICATED IN HIS AUGUST 31 LETTER, MR. WASHBURN'S CURRENT ADDRESS IS C/O DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, UNIVERSITY OF NEW ENGLAND, ARMINDALE, N.S.W., AUSTRALIA, 2351. HIS TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 067-722911, X-2176. ARMINDALE IS APPROXIMATELY 200 MILES FROM SYDNEY. THE CONSULATE GENERAL WILL BE HAPPY TO RELAY ANY MESSAGES TO MR. WASHBURN.

4. FYI - MR. WASHBURN PASSED THE FSO EXAMS IN 1973, BUT NEVER TOOK THE ORALS. ON MAY 17, 1976, HE WROTE THE
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DEPARTMENT CONCERNING REACTIVATION OF HIS 1973 CANDIDACY.

HE HAS A 6/15 LETTER FROM ROBERT T. BURNS, STAFF DIRECTOR,
BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE, ADVISING HIM
THAT HE WAS REQUIRED TO RETAKE, AND PASS, THE EXAMINATION,
AND THAT APPLICATIONS COULD BE OBTAINED IN LATE AUGUST
BY WRITING THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

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